

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 13 with the following rewritten paragraph:

The need in the art is addressed by the remote network based job accounting system and method of the present invention. In accordance with the present teachings, the inventive system includes a memory for providing an accounting database; a controller for processing information stored by and retrieved from the database; a network for coupling the machine to the controller; an embedded web server for communicating with a remote job accounting database; and an interface coupled to the database via network. ~~In accordance with the invention, the interface includes an embedded web server for transmitting and receiving information to and from the database.~~

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 3 with the following rewritten paragraph:

Returning to Figure 2, the user interface is coupled to a controller 44 adapted to receive commands from the interface 42 and from the server 20 via a network interface 48. The controller 44 controls the operation of the print or copy mechanism 46. As illustrated in Figure 2, commands from the user interface 42 may bypass the controller 44 and go directly to the server 20 via the network interface 48 and network connection 30. In accordance with the present teachings, the network interface 48 of each machine 40, 50, 60, and 70 is an embedded web server ~~such as a LJ8150, LJ4100, or LJ4550 web server sold by Hewlett Packard.~~